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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 including a Declaration of Dr. George T. Ligler Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 and a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.

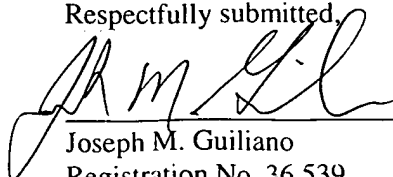
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|-------|--------------|--------------|----------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid For | Extra | Rate | | Amount |
| | | | | Large Entity | Small Entity | |
| Number of Claims in Excess of 20 | 51 | 127 | 0 | \$ 18.00 | \$ 9.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| Independent Claims in Excess of 3 | 5 | 18 | 0 | \$ 84.00 | \$ 42.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | \$ 280.00 | \$ 140.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| Extension Fee: | a) One Month | | | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| | b) Two Months | | | \$ 410.00 | \$ 205.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| | c) Three Months | | | \$ 930.00 | \$ 465.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| | d) Four Months | | | \$ 1450.00 | \$ 725.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| | e) Five Months | | | \$ 1970.00 | \$ 985.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| Other: | | | | | | \$ 0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE DUE | | | | | | \$930.00 |

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
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- Small Entity Status Claim:
☐ is hereby requested.
☐ is of record in this application.

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This amendment and reply is responsive to the Office action mailed July 17, 2002 (Office action). Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered into the above-captioned application:

I. AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

Applicants request that the amended claims below be considered. For the convenience of the Examiner, all pending claims are presented below.

Claims 56, 57, 58, 61, 65-67, 69-74, 80, 81, 84, 85, 89-91, 93-95, 98, 102, 106, and 109 are amended. A version of each of these claims marked to show the amendments thereto is included in Exhibit 1.

Please cancel claims 59, 64, 76, 82, 86, 96, 97, 99, 101, 104, 103, 110-114, 116-118, 120-127, 129, 140, 141, 162-176, 179, 181 and 182 without prejudice.

Please add new claims 183-197.

Claims 60, 62, 63, 68, 87, 100, 103, 107, and 108 remain unchanged.